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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Gang Sun *et al.*

Application No.: 09/535,348

Filed: March 24, 2000

For: N-HALAMINE VINYL  
COMPOUNDS AND THEIR  
POLYMERIC BIOCIDES

Examiner: Stockton

Art Unit: 1626

AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 23, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows. A petition for a one-month extension of time is being filed concurrently herewith.

IN THE CLAIMS:

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Please cancel claims 4, 11 and 14-56 without prejudice or disclaimer. Please amend claims 1, 3 and 13 as follows.